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CALIFORNIA DRIVER'S LICENSE READABILITY SUPPORTED IN NEW PERCON BAR CODE
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The newest model of Percon Series 20 Universal bar code and magnetic stripe decoder, Version 4.1, features bidirectional magnetic stripe scanning and supports California Driver 's License scanning. Laser and CCD trigger modes, serial ACK/NAK protocol, and host control indicators are also available in Version 4.1.

The Series 20 4.1 decoder electronically decodes customer credit card information, driver license numbers and demographic information stored on magnetic stripe driver licenses now in use in California. Non-standard information including specific information about the driver such as name, address, sex, age, height and weight are also encoded. Bidirectional scanning allows the users to run a card through a magnetic stripe scanner in either direction, while maintaining accuracy of the information scanned.

Trigger modes enable a laser or CCD in the default mode to automatically turn on and read any enabled code. Auto scan is supported for hands-off scanning and a multi-scan mode allows the laser to automatically turn on after current data has been output. An input device using this mode cannot read the same bar code twice in a row.

Serial ACK/NAK protocol has been added to check and verify data running through the main serial port. If the host response required mode is activated, the host must respond to the Series 20 decoder by using one of two options: serial batch programming commands or host controlled indicators (tone, number of beeps, loudness of beeps) to indicate to the bar code reader and the user if the data transmitted met the application criteria before the next bar code can be read. Host control indicators can be used separately from the host response required.

The Series 20 4.1 can now be reprogrammed using serial batch programming mode during scanning. Now, programming through the serial port can occur when needed, taking only seconds to complete.

As with the entire line of Percon Series 20 decoders, Series 20 4.1 provides the following benefits:

Data input editing enables users to customize scanned data before it reaches their application program. This automatic data editing is completely programmable, and permits adding data, moving data, or subtracting data from each bar code or magnetic stripe as if s scanned.

Auto-Host Recognition allows the Series 20 4.1 decoder to recognize and configure itself for the computer to which ifs connected.

Full keyboard support permits users to encode any key on a keyboard-including all function keys. The unit also snows auto-terminators to be any of 128 ASCII characters, and the unique "Zap Model" disables the user-defined auto-terminator by encoding PERCON-defined characters into that bar code.

Additionally the Series 20 4.1 will auto-discriminate among 13 different bar code symbologies, and read both credit card and airline format magnetic stripes on up to four magnetic stripe channels simultaneously. Multiple magnetic stripe scanners (one track per channel) and one bar code input device may be connected to the same decoder.

The suggested retail price for Series 20 4.1 begins at \$415.00 (US, quantity one) and is now available. Interface cable is purchased separately. 'Me Series 20 4.1 is backed by a five-year warranty with an optional on-site warranty available.

Founded in 1983, Percon engineers and manufacturers keyless data entry and identification equipment. Based in Eugene, Oregon, Percon sells bar code hardware and software worldwide through original equipment manufacturers (OEMs), distributors and value added resellers (VARs) and offers next-day shipping, toll-free telephone support and rapid turnaround repair service.

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System copies charge transactions

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By STEPHEN LAWTON

SAN BRUNO, CALIF. - Retailers have a new tool for managing their credit-card receipts and reducing overhead costs: signature-capture technology.

Using technology developed separately by NCR Corp., Dayton, Ohio, and IC Systems, Oakland, Calif., retailers can create electronic credit-card transactions, then store the receipt, complete with the customer's signature, on a local PC. The system uses NCR's 5991 point-of-sale system on the front end.

Should the merchant need to generate an exact duplicate of the transaction later, the receipt can be reproduced, complete with an exact duplicate of the customer's signature.

American Express has been scanning copies of paper credit transactions for several years, but that technique requires that a paper receipt be generated by the merchant first, and then scanned into the American Express system. This two-step operation requires about 7K bytes to 8K bytes for each receipt and, while American Express keeps its records on line, merchants are left with paper documents for their files. The NCR method creates an electronic record that requires less than 300K bytes of storage space and allows merchants to keep and file electronic transactions.

Visa International recently directed its merchant customers of changes that dictate how quickly accounts are settled and how Visa plans to handle chargebacks. As a result, retailers ranging from mom-and-pop stores to multinational conglomerates are modifying their credit-card filing procedures, beginning with such basics as how the clerk rings up a sale.

Under the new rules, if a Visa customer challenges a charge to their account, the retailer has seven days to supply the documentation showing the customer's signature or authorization. If the retailer is unable to produce the documents during that period, Visa can take the funds from the merchant's Visa account. Merchants also now must settle their accounts daily or pay Visa higher fees.

By capturing the entire transaction on computers, then storing the documents electronically rather than as paper records, merchants can process charge-back requests immediately with greater accuracy and with less chance of damaged or unreadable records, said Steven Elefant, president of IC Systems.

IC Systems, a small software developer and systems integrator, supplies to NCR the PC-based software that handles the credit card, debit card, ATM and check guarantee card authorizations, along with its signature-capture software. Should the customer question a transaction, an exact duplicate of the charge receipt can be generated immediately, complete with an exact reproduction of the original signature.

To date, NCR's largest beta customer, The Gap clothing stores, based in San Francisco, have captured in excess of 750,000 signatures. The company is expanding its use of the NCR 5991 system.

IC Systems also developed the technology that allows customers to write electronic checks. Like the credit-card receipts, the checks would be computer-generated.

Customers fill out the check as they would a paper check, except these checks would be just a display on an LCD screen. Customers sign the checks on the glass screen using a special pen, then press a key that sends the electronic checks to the cash register. That technology also is provided in the NCR 5991.

In addition to capturing signatures, retailers also can capture demographic data from the customer's **driver**'s **license** by **reading** the **magnetic stripe** on the back of the cards. Currently, California has the

most difficult cards to reasonable Elefant said, recording data three tracks, one of which uses a proprietary format. IC Systems developed a reader that accesses all tracks simultaneously on the California license, as well as licenses from many other states. It currently is being adapted to read licenses from all 50 states.

One potential downside of signature capture has been obviated by the integrated security system that ties signatures to the transaction. If an attempt is made to copy the signature to another document or file, the signature is immediately destroyed, said Scott Klement, NCR's product manager for its 5991 product.

Privacy is an issue, Elefant acknowledged, but he added that after The Gap had captured its first 300,000 signatures, the company had only two complaints from customers.

Suggested retail pricing for IC Verify from IC Systems including signature capture and the magnetic-stripe reader is \$1,350. The NCR 5991 SRPs range from \$975 to \$1,200.

STEPHEN LAWTON, a freelance writer based in San Bruno, Calif., has been writing about the computer industry for more than 14 years.

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A touch of the hand can unlock a world of information -- literally.

In this era of technical wizardry and the information superhighway,
IBM's Atlanta, Ga.-based kiosk division is putting technology to work,

IBM's Atlanta, Ga.-based kiosk division is putting technology to work, employing touch-screen interaction and multimedia computing advances to make information more accessible to the public.

Last month at Comdex, IBM launched its latest venture into the interactive multimedia kiosk world with the premiere of its electronic version of the missing child poster.

Joining forces with the Arlington, Va.-based National Center for Missing and Exploited Children (NCMEC), IBM unveiled a box designed to broadcast up-to-date missing children reports transmitted by modem from the NCMEC headquarters in suburban Washington, D.C.

The first PS/2-based NCMEC box, installed November 1 at National Airport in Washington, D.C., combines sound and full-motion video of national child advocate John Walsh with touch-screen interaction. IBM donated the pilot kiosk to the private, non-profit information clearinghouse while the airport authority provided the space and a phone line for the system.

"So far, the kiosk is doing very well," said Ben Ermini, NCMEC director of case management.

The NCMEC sees the kiosk as an extension of its current missing child photo mailing in the U.S. program, Ermini said, noting that one out of every seven of those mailed photos leads to the recovery of a missing child.

"The addition of this kiosk offers us a tremendous resource. When a child is reported missing we can immediately add an audio alert, and if a photo is available we can digitize it and run it on the kiosk," Ermini said.

In cases where the child has been missing for approximately two years, the kiosks features original and computer-aged photographs. The electronically enhanced photos present a probable picture of the child years after his disappearance.

The NCMEC has plans to install the kiosks in more airports and transportation centers in the future, with the broadcast information customized to match the regional areas.

Airports are prime locations for the kiosks, according to Ermini, because of the large amount of traffic that passes through them, including law enforcement officials and, quite possibly, the child and the abductor. Ideally, the NCMEC would like to see a kiosk in every airport, in train and bus stations, and in shopping malls.

The NCMEC kiosk is just one of many interactive multimedia kiosk systems that are changing the way information and services are traded.

Putting these kiosks -- in geographically convenient -- and, in the case of the NCMEC box, relevant -- locations opens up entire new avenues for use, avenues local and state governments have been eager to take advantage of.

TRAVELING NEW INFORMATION BY-WAYS

INFO/California, a public information and transaction network created by IBM and multimedia partner North Communications (Santa Monica, Calif.) is a prime example of how government agencies are using to technology as a new information resource for citizens.

In 1992, the California Health and Welfare Agency (Sacramento, Calif.) installed 15 kiosks in public sites ranging from grocery stores to libraries in Sacramento, San Diego, and Los Angeles counties in an effort to grant wider access to government services.

Inspired by the highly successful Hawaii Access kiosk system, the

menu-driven IBM-based sys offers users a range of information and services. Guided by audio and video in either Spanish or English, the user can access information on topics such as transportation, health, and employment.

Users can pay their state vehicle registration or receive a copy of their birth certificate using a credit card or debit card. The INFO/California kiosk can also read the new California magnetic strip driver 's license for identification.

The kiosks have been successful. As of June 1993, over 240,000 people had used one of the kiosks. With 70 percent of the users saying they would recommend the INFO/California kiosk to a friend or family member, the California Health and Welfare Agency plans to install 100 more in 1994 and even more kiosks to follow.

"We are still experimenting with kiosk placement. We've noticed the ones that have been particularly popular have been in locations where they can be accessed at late hours," said Richard Krum, a systems analyst with California's Health and Welfare Agency Data Center.

While a few glitches have disrupted the INFO/California systems, particularly the fragility of the laser discs housed inside the kiosk box, Krum noted the Health and Welfare Agency is taking a more preventive approach toward system maintenance.

In terms of the kiosks' cost-effectiveness, the jury is still out.

"It's really too early to tell. The kiosks are extensions of
government offices and people are getting information that in the past they
might not have had access to, "Krum said.

The kiosks are, according to Krum, integrated touch activity centers designed to be so easy to use that the user, often someone who does not interact daily with a computer, forgets the kiosk is in fact a computer.

Other agencies, at all levels of government, have expressed interest in placing applications on INFO/California kiosks in the future. Krum did not rule out the possibility, of networking with localities outside the state at some point in time, considering several other states already have kiosk information systems in place.

CONGRESS AND KIOSKS

The U.S. Congress may be the next government entity to take advantage of the interactive capabilities of the touchscreen kiosks.

In mid-November, North Communications, DEMONSTRATED "ASK CONGRESS," a public access interactive touchscreen kiosk at the Rayburn House Office building in near the U.S. Capitol.

"Ask Congress" uses video, audio, text, and graphics to communicate information on how U.S. laws are passed, on budget and voting procedures, and on healthcare and social benefits.

The multilingual kiosk system will eventually allow users to input opinion on issues and pending bills, according to North Communications President Michael North.

"In the same way that ATMs (automatic teller machines) have revolutionized banking, interactive multimedia will revolutionize the way the government delivers services," North said.

While the pilot system is housed in the Rayburn building, North plans to put "Ask Congress" kiosks in areas across the country, making the systems accessible to a greater number of people. (AMY LARSEN)

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Technology adds functionality to ID cards: Get ready to replace that
bulging purse or wallet-full of cards with a single, multi-function card.
Now that's smart!

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By JEROME SVIGALS

In recent years, there has been an explosion in the use of ID cards. A typical purse or wallet is likely to hold at least a dozen forms of identification card, ranging from the driver's license to customer cards from video stores and other merchants.

Most cards only carry printed information and can't be read automatically. Adding a magnetic stripe or computer chip to an ID card enables many applications and adds security to the system. Systems that use an ID card to initiate some type of processing or transaction benefit from smart card and magnetic stripe technologies.

Magnetic stripe cards

The magnetic stripe offers more content density than bar codes and it provides higher reliability than paper documents. The mag. stripe card allows less expensive slot readers for low-cost physical access systems. In some systems, the stripe is rewritable, which results in lower card costs. Striped plastic has a higher reliability than paper documents with printed ID codes.

As rule, the magnetic-striped plastic or paper card is the most widely used medium for systems with manual media handling. For example, today more than 1.1 billion credit cards and more than 250,000 ATMs are in use worldwide. Most transactions in cash dispensers and automatic teller machines are supported by a personal identification number (PIN), which has been proven to reduce card losses by a substantial amount. Credit cards, however, do not follow this security measure as closely, and few transactions are supported by a customer-entered PIN. Handling PINs throughout the world is routinely administered by cash dispensers and ATMs. Large credit card servicers claim that consumers and merchants do not want to use PINs. Actually, it may be the servicers who primarily fight PINs because handling them reduces response times and consumes network capacities. But, even so, there are more PIN-based debit transaction throughout the world.

The servicers are seeking more transactions without adding network load. They are testing off-line authorization for low-value transactions, satellite link authorization and new attempts at the never-achieved goal of providing a foolproof magnetic stripe-based security scheme. Large credit card servicers are expanding networks, using higher speed communications lines and instituting regional centers with less-than-complete authorization databases. They are also being driven to expand technology investments to support the old rules of who was provided a card and why. Even now, 20% of account losses take place after the account is known to be bad.

Magnetic stripe cards are also used throughout the world for mass transit and pay telephone applications. Thus, the original mag. stripe media has migrated into a full spectrum of automatic identification systems and applications. The range is only limited by the designers' applications ingenuity.

Market pressures are now forcing the associations to consider smart cards, which will produce a contrast between the mag. stripe card of the last 15 years and the emerging new plastic transaction card capabilities of the next decade. Three major changes are coming:

* New transaction cards will carry fully electronically updateable relations and personalized limits for each of several application relationships. Conventional mag. stripe cards have no understanding of location of use, method of use or amount being used. Nor is the card

- * Today, the consumer selects an account relation and receives a conventional plastic transaction card. In the future, one will select a card from new plastic transaction card service supplier with the option to
 - select application services from a menu of application providers for a multiple -application transaction card. This new card will offer higher revenues and greater profits to the **issuer** than today's conventional credit cards because the enlarged data content (thousands of characters) allows one card to be several cards and to achieve more revenue per card.
 - The improved security of smart card reduces fraud and bad debt losses.

 * Current credit limits and transaction controls are located in a distant database. In the future, however, distributed systems will allow personalized account controls at each transaction point, because they put logic and databases on a local basis. This offers complete transaction and account limit control at any level which will significantly reduce losses and bad debt, and increase revenue and fee opportunities for issuers.

Smart cards are more secure than the easily counterfeited magnetic stripe card and can carry up to 64,000 bits of data. Smart cards can function as portable databases that can carry and process data for multiple applications. the built-in microprocessor enables routine decisions to be made locally with batch data capture to update central records. The read/write memory can be used to capture transaction records, maintain financial balances, or store a list of card-holder prescriptions. Cards have also been used to hold military training records, provide fuel system identification for fleet management and much more.

The microprocessor smart card has a lower cost per transaction at one PIN -based transaction per month than magnetic stripe cards. The savings come from the smart card's ability to make routine local decisions without online authorization for up to 90% of transactions. Smart cards also can have built -in PIN validation to avoid costly and tim-consuming remote PIN validations.

Future trends

The magnetic stripe bank card has universal acceptance. Magnetic stripes will continue to be used on smart cards as a transition device and as a lowest cost, low-function card. Two-dimensional bar codes will also be used in this capacity and will be implemented in some traditional mag. stripe card applications. The next decade will see the introduction of the smart card -not the end of the magnetic stripe card since the new smart card standards require a mag. stripe. During the next several years, both old equipment and cards will continue to be used as the new technology is phased in.

The smart card population is going to increase its rate of growth. The increasing volumes of production and chip evolution prompted Business Week to forecast 1 billion smart cards to be produced in 1996. The United States market will mainly consist of pilots for prepaid cards, financial transactions, security access control and portable databases. The road-toll solutions are well established and growing rapidly. the military logistics and related applications are now proven but subject to funding restrictions.

What will it take for these developing applications to take hold? First, the card servicers need to embrace the smart cards and support their implementation. that stage is three to five years away. Second, there needs to be support from the <code>issuers</code>. If the smart card meetings are any sign, that United States point is two to three years away. Third, the major world markets of Asia and the EC are ahead in the race and are accelerating All of these suggest that 1996 through 1999 will be the major growth period. Hence, higher volume United States smart card bases building will occur int he immediate future.

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JAPIO KEYWORD: R002 (LASERS); R011 (LIQUID CRYSTALS); R105 (INFORMATION PROCESSING...

PURPOSE: To permit an operator to execute the retrieval processing of only a graphic having a desired attribute among plural graphics without the need of recognizing the graphics one by one in the editing of graphic data by retrieving graphic data having attribute information inputted among stored graphic data and outputting graphic data of a retrieval result...

ABSTRACT

...CONSTITUTION: Graphic data including plural pieces of attribute information which are set for drawing the graphics are stored for the respective graphics. Graphic data having attribute information inputted among stored graphic data are retrieved and outputted in accordance with the input of attribute information which the operator desires as a retrieval object. In such a case, the attribute which...

...in a line types window 41 is selected by a mouse. An area where the graphic to be retrieved is drawn is designated by the mouse. When the termination of range designation is indicated, the graphic having the attribute which is set in the line types window 41 is retrieved for the graphic positioned within the range, and it is displayed so that it can be identified from the other graphics.

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DISPLAY DEVICE FOR SIDE SITUATION FOR VEHICLE

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DISPLAY DEVICE FOR SIDE SITUATION FOR VEHICLE ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To permit a driver to easily recognize information of an object in the whole area of a side direction including an oblique side...

... 1 photographing the side direction situation of a self vehicle, a frame memory 2 storing video information from the photographing means 1 at a required period, an object recognition/relative speed detection means 3 recognizing the object around the vehicle based on picture information inputted from the frame memory 2 at the required period and detecting the relative speed...

... area of the side direction situation for respective areas where the object exists based on **information** from the object recognition/relative speed detection means 3 and a **display** means 5 receiving **information** from the object recognition/relative speed detection means 3 and the picture area division means 4 and sequentially, typically **displaying** the picture area of the side direction of the self vehicle are provided. The picture...

... area division means 4 so that the relative speed of the respective objects can be identified, are displayed by the display means 5 with display characteristics following the relative speed of the objects.

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CHARACTER PROCESSOR

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JOURNAL: Section: P, Section No. 1242, Vol. 15, No. 335, Pg. 133,

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JAPIO CLASS: 45.3 (INFORMATION PROCESSING...

...Input Output Units); 45.4 (INFORMATION PROCESSING... JAPIO KEYWORD: R131 (INFORMATION PROCESSING...

...Microcomputers & Microprocessers); R139 (INFORMATION PROCESSING...

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To obtain a character processor which can promptly identify and recognize a printing interruption cause and an input character string that is requested by collectively displaying input character information corresponding to an interrupted line generated in the middle of a printing processing...

...CONSTITUTION: CPU 1 consists of a printing interruption control code existing line display means 1a, a one line segment processing means 1b, a printing interruption control code detection means 1c and the like, and the means 1b reads document information in a line unit from the text area of RAM 6 being a document memory. The means 1c retrieves document information in the line unit, which the means 1b segments. When a printing interruption instructed state is detected, the means 1a being the interruption control means interrupts the printing processing of document information by a printer 11, displays document information

corresponding to the limits which is printing interruption instructed in display unit 9 and ermits an operator to clearly display the instructed in a presence or absence of interruption occurrence and document information on a printing interrupted place.

15/3,K/4 (Item 1 from file: 351) DIALOG(R) File 351: DERWENT WPI (c)1999 Derwent Info Ltd. All rts. reserv. 009549859 **Image available** WPI Acc No: 93-243409/199330 XRPX Acc No: N93-187222 Electronic pocket organiser for image and text manipulation - has touch sensitive screen for text input and function manipulation and image scanner for document reading Patent Assignee: EASTMAN KODAK CO (EAST) Inventor: CORL K G; FLYNN J T; GABORSKI R S; PHILBRICK R H; SCHLACK C W; SOPER J B; PHILBRICK R; CORL K; SOPER J Number of Countries: 021 Number of Patents: 008 Patent Family: Patent No Kind Date Applicat No Kind Date Main IPC Week WO 9314458 A1 19930722 WO 92US11288 A 19921223 G06F-015/02 199330 B AU 9334252 A 19930803 WO 92US11288 A 19921223 G06F-015/02 199348 AU 9334252 A 19921223 EP 620937 A1 19941026 WO 92US11288 A 19921223 G06F-015/02 199441 EP 93902810 A 19921223 US 5392447 A 19950221 US 92819390 A 19920110 G06F-015/62 199513 JP 7503333 W 19950406 WO 92US11288 A 19921223 G06F-015/02 199522 JP 93512477 A 19921223 B1 19970806 WO 92US11288 A EP 620937 19921223 G06F-015/02 199736 EP 93902810 A 19921223 A 19921223 G06F-015/02 DE 69221506 E 19970911 DE 621506 199742 WO 92US11288 A 19921223 EP 93902810 A 19921223 SG 44541 A1 19971219 SG 961889 A 19921223 G06F-015/02 199808 Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 92819390 A 19920110 Filing Details: Patent Kind Filing Notes Application Patent WO 9314458 A1 Designated States (National): AU JP KR Designated States (Regional): AT BE CH DE DK ES FR GB GR IE IT LU MC NL AU 9334252 A Based on WO 9314458 EP 620937 Al Based on WO 9314458 Designated States (Regional): DE FR GB NL WO 9314458 JP 7503333 W Based on EP 620937 B1 Based on WO 9314458 Designated States (Regional): DE FR GB NL EP 620937 DE 69221506 E Based on Based on WO 9314458 Language, Pages: WO 9314458 (E, 50); EP 620937 (E, 50); US 5392447 (154); JP 7503333 (15); EP 620937 (E, 32)

Electronic pocket organiser for image and text manipulation...

- ... has touch sensitive screen for text input and function manipulation and image scanner for document reading
- ... Abstract (Basic): The operator can input information through a variety of windows selected by the pen and also through a virtual keyboard...
- ... ADVANTAGE Reduces effort required to retrieve both text and image data and correlate them...
- ... Abstract (Equivalent): An electronic device comprising: data entry means (76,B2) for enabling data to be entered into a memory unit (66,

- ...a transport path past the scanning means (26); processing means (60;62) for retrieving the data entered into the memory unit; and display means (14) for displaying the retrieved data; characterised in that: said device is an organiser; and said retrieved data comprise both image data from said scanning means (26) and text data; and said document transport mechanism (38) is arranged for grasping a document in response to...
- ...Abstract (Equivalent): The electronic organiser incorporates an internal electronic scanner and a touch sensitive display screen to enter text and image data. The internal scanner permits both machine generated text and image data to be scanned and directly entered into the organiser. Hand-printed text data is also entered directly via the touch sensitive display screen using a stylus or pen. The scanned machine generated text, the scanned image data and the hand-printed text can either be preserved as an image-oriented bit map, or optical character recognition routines can be applied to the data to identify characters and convert the identified characters to computer coded text data.
- ...Data entered into the organiser is arranged in a relational database format, which permits the operator to quickly and easily enter and retrieve related information between a number of different databases with a minimal amount of effort. A small document...
- ...ADVANTAGE Reduced effort required for user to enter and retrieve text and image

... Title Terms: TEXT ;

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008490705 **Image available**
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Processing and transmitting digital video images - uses operator selected transmission of chosen parts of image with selected compression level and transmission order

Patent Assignee: HARRIS CORP (HARO)

Inventor: BECK A; JAWORSKI M; SCORSE J; THROOP D A; BECK A H

Number of Countries: 015 Number of Patents: 006

Patent Family:

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- ... Abstract (Basic): The method involves separating an image into blocks of digital data representing the image. One or more groups of blocks to be transmitted are selected, and the amount of digital data in the blocks to be transmitted is selectively reduced. The order of transmission of each...
- ...The system also includes a novel method of retransmitting those packets of data which have been erroneously transmitted and an automated retransmission protocol which retransmits data in a more robust manner where errors are detected in the first transmission of the data. Also disclosed is a method of shading portions of the image to inform the operator...
- ...been transmitted, and a protocol limiting the duration of and for altering the frequency of **data** transmissions to avoid detection and/or jamming by others...
- ... Abstract (Equivalent): digital image comprising the steps of: (a) separating said digital image into blocks of digital data representing the image; (b) selecting one or more groups of said blocks to be transmitted; (c) selectively reducing the amount of digital data in said blocks to be transmitted; (d) selecting the first said block of digital data to be transmitted in each of said groups; and (e) transmitting said first block first...
- ... Abstract (Equivalent): Blocks of image data are defined to be transmitted, each block comprising digital data in packets representing a portion of the image. A first of these blocks is designated...
- ...proximity to the first block independently of the blocks being defined. The amount of digital data in each of block is selectively adjusted, and then the blocks are transmitted. The blocks to be transmitted are displayed on a monitor and completion of transmission is then indicated on the monitor...
- ...First check sums are provided for the packets of digital data to be transmitted, these check sums being transmitted with the packets. Second check sums are calculated for the received packets for comparison with the first check sums so as to identify those packets where the check sums are not the same. Only identified packets are retransmitted after the blocks have been transmitted...
- ...The system permits the operator of a video image system to selectively transmit desired portions of the video image at an operator selected resolution, operator selected compression level, and operator selected order of transmission of each of the portions. The system retransmits blocks of data which have been erroneously transmitted and an automated retransmission protocol which retransmits data in a more robust manner where errors are detected in the first transmission of the data. Various portions of the video image are shaded to inform the system operator of which portions of the video image have been transmitted. A protocol limits the duration of and alters the frequency of data transmissions. ADVANTAGE Avoid detection and/or jamming by others. (Dwg.7/8)
 ...Title Terms: VIDEO;

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008366777 **Image available**
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XRPX Acc No: N90-196686

Satellite TV for cable video reception system - decodes information embedded in broadcast programme to permit operator to select

y viewing and copying programme for viewing Patent Assignee: SATELLI TEC SERV (SATE-N)

Inventor: HORTON E T; SMITH E W

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

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Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 88247844 A 19880922; US 86927169 A 19861105

Satellite TV for cable video reception system...

... decodes information embedded in broadcast programme to permit operator to select programme for viewing only viewing and copying ... Abstract (Basic): comprises a receiver having a device to descramble the encrypted TV program, a device to decode the programe code, a device to format TV program for unrestricted viewing and taping, and a device to format TV program for viewing but not taping...

... A device generates billing information corresponding to the operator selected program code. A device alters billing information in response to operator input of responses to pre-selected questions. A device enables a...

...format TV program to permit a copy inhibited recording to be made to transmit billing information via a telecommunication unit... ... Title Terms: VIDEO ;

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007984029

WPI Acc No: 89-249141/198934 XRPX Acc No: N89-189737

Computer aided flood control management system - uses database of many watersheds and associated control systems to simulate effect of any proposed developments

Patent Assignee: PATE SYSTEMS INC (PATE-N)

Inventor: MULLINAX R; PATE G E; ROSS J E; SUTTON A G

Number of Countries: 012 Number of Patents: 002

Patent Family:

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... Abstract (Basic): a computer and associated software to carry out the steps of establishing a system watershed data base (60). The watershed (80) is identified within which the proposed developments or modifications are located. Data representative of the boundaries of the development or modification is developed and the hydrological parameters associated with the development or modification is calculated. A data file of representative status information concerning previously approved modifications or developments is received and the hydrological parameters associated with certain factors concerning the modifications and developments is determined, modifying the watershed data to include hydrological parameters of approved and proposed modifications and developments. Modified

- ...determined for several stations along the main water channels, and a modified hydraulic analysis input data base is established...
- ...the effects of the proposals cause the watershed to satisfy these maximums and minimums. The data base (60) representing several watersheds (40) and associated control systems, including monitoring and control systems...
- ... existing and proposed developments on the selected watershed. The effects of these analysis may be displayed (70) either as text or graphically .
- ... ADVANTAGE Permits the operator to interactively modify watershed parameters used in analysis, thereby modelling proposed changes in flood control
- ... Abstract (Equivalent): existing and proposed developments on the selected watershed. The effects of these analyses may be displayed either as text or graphically . By using a single database, the system may be used to manage the cumulative effect...
- ... The system includes a design module which permits the operator to interactively modify watershed parameters used in the analysis, to model proposed changes in the ...

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Scheduling, monitoring and dynamically managing related resources planning and real-time managing several interdependent and interrelated resources using computer system for data communication

Patent Assignee: INTELLIMED CORP (INTE-N)

Inventor: BERMAN B M; BLAU S; CHIANG A; RASSMAN W R

Number of Countries: 016 Number of Patents: 005

Patent Family:

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- ... planning and real-time managing several interdependent and interrelated resources using computer system for data communication
- ... Abstract (Basic): of related resources is prospectively planned using a computer having a memory, by creating a data base of information (Case; Phase) about at least some of the resources. Some of the resources are identified as being primary, and other resources as being secondary. Temporal relationship are established between at...
- ... Abstract (Equivalent): The method includes providing a data base containing information about the resources and graphically displaying utilisation and availability of the resources as a function of time. Indicia can be made to appear on the display to provide

visual identification of symbols as well as informat about scheduling, status and conflicts involving the resource...

...In addition, access to the data base can be made available to provide a continuous update of the display so that the display of the resources is for the most recent data in the data base. Access to the data base can also permit the operator to call up a wide variety of information about the resources and can also be used to track events and procedures...

... Title Terms: DATA ;

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XRPX Acc No: N87-181127

Amusement game automatic function control system - uses microprocessor to control and modify game data in memories and interface input, display and memories

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Inventor: DEMAR L E; RITCHIE S S

Number of Countries: 016 Number of Patents: 007

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Language, Pages: US 4685677 (11); EP 252590 (E); EP 252590 (E, 15)

- ... uses microprocessor to control and modify game data in memories and interface input, display and memories
- ... Abstract (Basic): further locations temporarily store selected portions of the default and operator selected values and historical data on players' scores and current game data. An input permits operators selection of the values...
- ...A microprocessor receives the data relating to players' scores award levels, award percentage and current game data from the memory locations to periodically modify the award level values to maintain either the default or the operator selected award percentage and giving player awards as earned. Data is communicated between the microprocessor, the memory, the input and the system is interfaced to game switches and displays.

... USE - Pinball and video games

... Abstract (Equivalent): for regulating awards given by a coin operated game, comprising memory means (16) for storing data representative of a predetermined percentage of games played for which it is desired to

give awards, for storing data representative of the gress of a current game, for storing level data representative vels of achievement during a current game which if reached are to result in awards, and for storing historical award data representative of the percentage of games played for which awards have been given, and processor means (10) for receiving the data stored in said memory means (16) and automatically adjusting the relationship between the operation of...

- ...said predetermined percentage, characterised in that the memory means (16) include means (4) for storing data indicative of a score which is accumulated during the progress of a current game, and...
- ...means (10) includes means for comparing the accumulated score with scores represented by said level data and giving awards if the accumulated score reaches the score represented by said level data, means for periodically verifying the said stored data, and means for periodically modifying the scores represented by the said level data such that the desired award percentage is maintained, whereby as player skill increases the scores represented by the said level data are raised to make it more difficult to gain an award and as player skill decreases the scores represented by the said level data are lowered to make it easier to gain an award...

... Title Terms: DATA ;

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Editing machine for recorded data - accepts initially prepared punched tape and permits operator to display data and to punch new tape having desired modifications

Patent Assignee: ADDRESSOGRAPH-MULTIGRAPH CORP (ADDR)

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

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Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 74465502 A 19740430

Editing machine for recorded data - ...

- ...accepts initially prepared punched tape and permits operator to display data and to punch new tape having desired modifications
- ...Abstract (Basic): The machine for displaying a data encoded tape has a detection element for producing bits corresponding to the data. It has a display system and viewing screen as well as a register system. The register system has a dynamic shift register...
- ...It also has an auxiliary register detection means which creates, from the register code, a **video** image in a given position on the **display** element...
- ... The machine has a device for introducing data bits from the data support into the dynamic shift register, the bits then being circulated through the register and...
- ...register. It also has means for isolating the auxiliary register so as to avoid recirculating data into the shift register, as well as means for reconverting the data in the register system.

... Title Terms: DATA;

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